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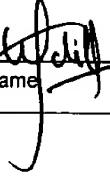
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of: John C. Hiserodt

Art Unit: 1633

Serial No.: 09/162,648

Examiner: Shin-Lin Chen, Ph.D.

Filing Date: September 29, 1998

For: CANCER IMMUNOTHERAPY USING
ALLOSTIMULATED CELLS IN A MULTIPLE
SEQUENTIAL IMPLANTATION STRATEGY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for responding to the Office Action in this application, dated April 3, 2002. A three month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$445.

This sets the deadline for responding to October 3, 2002

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